--24. (Twice Amended) A computer program, resident on a computer readable medium, for synchronizing at least a first and a second database, wherein the manner of storing a set of recurring date bearing instances differs between the first and second databases, and at least the first database uses a recurring record to store the set of recurring date bearing instances, comprising instructions for:

processing a plurality of non-recurring records in the second database to identify a set of non-recurring records storing the set of recurring date bearing instances in the second database;

performing a comparison of the set of non-recurring records of the [first] **second** database to a recurring record of the first database; and

completing synchronization based on the outcome of the comparison.--

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--48. (Amended) The method of claim 47, **wherein** the method further comprises selecting the plurality of groups of records based on identity of the contents of the key fields of the records of the first and second database.--

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In the drawings:

Enclosed are 14 sheets of amended drawings for the application with changes indicated in red. The figures have been modified to reflect changes made by certificate of correction. No new matter has been added.